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Congress of the United States

U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515—0525

April 28th, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Hope's Antelope Valley Comprehensive Cancer Prevention and Screening Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Hope National Medical Center located at 1500 East Duarte Rd, Duarte, CA 91010.

The funding would be used to purchase a state-of-the-art mobile cancer screening unit to provide cancer screening services to the Antelope Valley. The Antelope Valley is one of California's most socioeconomically diverse and medically vulnerable regions, with significant cancer risk and poor outcomes. For existing long standing and comprehensive clinics, cancer prevention and early detection are effective means for reducing long-term costs. The AV is ideally suited for additional investments that would contribute to better patient outcomes and reduce cancer's burden.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Mike Garcia

Member of Congress

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